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**District:** 05 – Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo, Monterey, San Benito and Santa Cruz Counties

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## HIGHWAY 101 SOUTHBOUND RAMP CLOSURE AT SANTA BARBARA ROAD

**ATASCADERO** - The **southbound** Hwy. 101 off ramp at Santa Barbara Road will be closed for two weeks beginning Sunday night, October 7 at 9 pm for paving.

The **southbound** Hwy. 101 on-ramp at Santa Barbara Road is also closed this week for paving and is expected to re-open in two weeks.

The Hwy. 101 northbound Santa Barbara Road on/off ramps are open.

These closures are part of the Atascadero Rehabilitation project which includes the re-paving of 11 miles of Hwy. 101 from north of the Cuesta Grade to Traffic Way. The contractor for this \$25 million project is Papich Construction of Pismo Beach, CA. It is expected to be completed in early 2013.

**Caltrans reminds motorists to move over and slow down when driving through Caltrans construction zones.**

For traffic updates on other state highway projects in San Luis Obispo County, motorists can call Caltrans District 5 Public Affairs at 805-549-3318 or visit the District 5 website at: [http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/road\\_information.htm](http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/road_information.htm)



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